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CORRECTION

Several unfortunate typographical errors appeared in the article, "Premature Rupture of Membranes: a Review and Treatment Plan," in the November issue.

On page 36, column 2, paragraph 3 should read as follows:

Perinatal Mortality
The reported incidence of perinatal mortality associated with PRM ranges from 2.5% to 11%.⁴ Virtually all of the series reported in the literature show increased perinatal mortality when premature infants are compared with those at term. In a study from UCLA of 1,884 cases of PRM,⁴ all infants weighing less than 1,000 gm, and 15.1% of those between 1,000 gm and 2,500 gm, died. Only 0.8% of infants whose birth weights exceeded 2,500 gm died.

On page 38, column 2, line 37 should read as follows:

management of the patient with premature rupture of the fetal membranes,

Finally, on page 39, column 1, paragraph 3, lines 6, 7, & 8 should read as follows:

Among babies born after PRM of less than 16 hours, there were several deaths from RDS.

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